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**RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED 2/6/07**

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**Brief Summary of Selected Substantive Portions of this Response**

**[0001]** In a telephone discussion on May 7, 2007, the Examiner indicated that proposed claims should be amended in details to distinguish over the cited art. With respect to § 101 rejection, the Examiner agreed to withdraw if the specification is properly amended.

**[0002]** This brief summary is not intended to represent the Applicant's full response to the Action. Rather, it is merely a brief summary of selected substantive portions of the response herein.

## **SPECIFICATION AMENDMENTS**

Please amend the specification as follows:

Substitute the paragraph starting at page 20, line 20, with the following:

--[ Computer 842 typically includes at least some form of computer readable media. Computer readable media can be any available media that can be accessed by computer 842. By way of example, and not limitation, computer readable media may comprise computer storage media ~~and communication media~~. Computer storage media includes volatile and nonvolatile, removable and non-removable media implemented in any method or technology for storage of information such as computer readable instructions, data structures, program modules or other data. Computer storage media includes, but is not limited to, RAM, ROM, EEPROM, flash memory or other memory technology, CD-ROM, digital versatile disks (DVD) or other optical storage, magnetic cassettes, magnetic tape, magnetic disk storage or other magnetic storage devices, or any other media which can be used to store the desired information and which can be accessed by computer 842. Communication media typically embodies computer readable instructions, data structures, program modules or other data in a modulated data signal such as a carrier wave or other transport mechanism and includes any information delivery media. The term "modulated data signal" means a signal that has one or more of its characteristics set or changed in such a manner as to encode information in the signal. By way of example, and not limitation, communication media includes wired media such as wired network or direct-wired connection,

and wireless media such as acoustic, RF, infrared and other wireless media. Combinations of any of the above should also be included within the scope of computer readable media.]--